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PATENT

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0092/019001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Nobuhiko OOHARA et al. Art Unit: 1621  
Application No.: 10/564,984 Examiner: Nwaonicha, C.  
Title: NOVEL OPTICALLY ACTIVE PHOSPHORUS-CHIRAL DIPHOSPHETANE  
COMPOUND, INTERMEDIATE THEREFOR, AND TRANSITION METAL  
COMPLEX HAVING THE COMPOUND AS LIGAND  
International Application No.: PCT/JP2004/010670  
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**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2007, applicants hereby submit the enclosed papers including an Amendment under 37 CFR 1.111.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for an extension of time for two (2) months to June 30, 2007, for filing a response to a response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2007 in connection with the above-identified application.

No extension of time has been previously obtained for filing the response. Thus a fee of \$450.00 for an extension of two months pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a) is required.

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The required fees are calculated below:

Total Claims	<u>7</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00
Independent	<u>6</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>3</u>	\$600.00


Two Months' Extension of Time Fee \$450.00

TOTAL FEE DUE: \$1,050.00

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO THE CREDIT CARD NUMBER LISTED ON THE ATTACHED CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM (PTO-2038 FORM), REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0092/019001. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS PAPER IS ENCLOSED. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 7, 2007

  
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